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- 1. DUTCH PRESS REPORTS, AND MFA CONFIRMS, THAT GOB HAS RESPONDED TO VAN DER STOEL'S OCTOBER 17 LETTER. BRAZILIAN RESPONSE AGREES TO ALL PROPOSALS MADE BY VAN DER STOEL EXCEPT THAT BRAZILIAN STORAGE FACILITIES FOR PLUTONIUM PRODUCED IN BRAZIL BE GIVEN EXTRATERRITORIAL STATUS.
- 2. MFA CONTACTS TOLD US, IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, THAT THERE MIGHT BE A WAY TO DRESS UP THE SITUATION SO AS TO GET AROUND THIS HURDLE. NEXT STEP WOULD NOW BE CONSIDERATION BY UK AND FRG WITH GON OF THE LATTER'S EXCHANGE WITH BRAZIL, FOLLOWED BY DISCUSSION BY THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WITH BRAZIL. CONFIDENTIAL

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ONLY AFTER THAT WOULD GON PUT THE MATTER TO PARLIAMENT PRIOR TO FINAL DECISION TO GO AHEAD WITH THE BRAZILIAN CONTRACT AND ENLARGEMENT OF THE ALMELO PLANT.

3. THIS MEANS THE CONCLUDING PHASE OF THIS ISSUE WILL BE HANDLED BY THE NEW DUTCH GOVERNMENT, WHICH IS NOW EXPECTED TO MAKE ITS APPEARANCE SOMETIME NEXT WEEK. IT WILL BE AT

LEAST AS POSITIVE AS ITS PREDECESSOR SINCE THE NEW COALITION WILL INCLUDE THE LIBERAL (VVD) PARTY, WHICH IS HIGHLY RESPONSIVE TO DUTCH BUSINESS INTERESTS.

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